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6 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
7 DISTRICT OF NEVADA

8 Case #3:19-cv-561
9 Battle Born Munitions, Inc.)
10 Plaintiff(s),)
11 vs.)
12 Dicks Sporting Goods, Inc.)
13 Defendant(s).)
14 FILING FEE IS \$250.00

**VERIFIED PETITION FOR
PERMISSION TO PRACTICE
IN THIS CASE ONLY BY
ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED
TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT
AND DESIGNATION OF
LOCAL COUNSEL**

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16 Mario B. Williams, Petitioner, respectfully represents to the Court:
17 (name of petitioner)

18 1. That Petitioner is an attorney at law and a member of the law firm of
19 NDH LLC
(firm name)

20 with offices at 44 Broad Street NW, Suite 200
(street address)

21 Atlanta, Georgia, 30303
22 (city) (state) (zip code)

23 404-254-0442, mwilliams@ndh-law.com
(area code + telephone number) (Email address)

24 2. That Petitioner has been retained personally or as a member of the law firm by
25 Battle Born Munitions to provide legal representation in connection with
26 [client(s)]
27 the above-entitled case now pending before this Court.

3. That since 06/03/2010, Petitioner has been and presently is a
(date)
member in good standing of the bar of the highest Court of the State of Georgia
(state)
where Petitioner regularly practices law. Petitioner shall attach a certificate from the state bar or
from the clerk of the supreme court or highest admitting court of each state, territory, or insular
possession of the United States in which the applicant has been admitted to practice law certifying
the applicant's membership therein is in good standing.

4. That Petitioner was admitted to practice before the following United States District Courts, United States Circuit Courts of Appeal, the Supreme Court of the United States and Courts of other States on the dates indicated for each, and that Petitioner is presently a member in good standing of the bars of said Courts.

Court	Date Admitted	Bar Number
Northern District of Georgia	10/02/2011	
Middle District of Georgia	02/07/2011	
Southern District of Georgia	06/17/2011	
Eleventh Circuit Court of Appeals	02/14/2012	
Western District of Virginia	9/20/2017	
Eastern District of Virginia	11/13/2017	
Fourth Circuit Court of Appeals	08/29/2016	

5. That there are or have been no disciplinary proceedings instituted against petitioner, nor any suspension of any license, certificate or privilege to appear before any judicial, regulatory or administrative body, or any resignation or termination in order to avoid disciplinary or disbarment proceedings, except as described in detail below:

None.

1 6. That Petitioner has never been denied admission to the State Bar of Nevada. (Give
2 particulars if ever denied admission):

3 None.
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6 7. That Petitioner is a member of good standing in the following Bar Associations.

7 Georgia (234254), 6/3/10; New York (4945093), 5/26/11; Virginia (91955), 9/20/17
8 (Continued from #4): Northern District of New York (700685), 1/15/19; Sixth Circuit Court of
9 Appeals, 7/16/18; Third Circuit Court of Appeals, 7/11/19; District of Columbia Circuit Court of
Appeals, 8/30/19

10 8. Petitioner has filed application(s) to appear as counsel under Local Rule IA 11-2
11 (formerly LR IA 10-2) during the past three (3) years in the following matters: (State "none" if no applications.)

Date of Application	Cause	Title of Court Administrative Body or Arbitrator	Was Application Granted or Denied
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19 (If necessary, please attach a statement of additional applications)

20 9. Petitioner consents to the jurisdiction of the courts and disciplinary boards of the
21 State of Nevada with respect to the law of this state governing the conduct of attorneys to the same
22 extent as a member of the State Bar of Nevada.

23 10. Petitioner agrees to comply with the standards of professional conduct required of
24 the members of the bar of this court.

25 11. Petitioner has disclosed in writing to the client that the applicant is not admitted to
26 practice in this jurisdiction and that the client has consented to such representation.
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1 That Petitioner respectfully prays that Petitioner be admitted to practice before this Court
2 FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS CASE ONLY.

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4 Mano Williams
5 Petitioner's signature

6 STATE OF Georgia }
7 COUNTY OF Fulton }

8 Mano Williams, Petitioner, being first duly sworn, deposes and says:

9 That the foregoing statements are true.

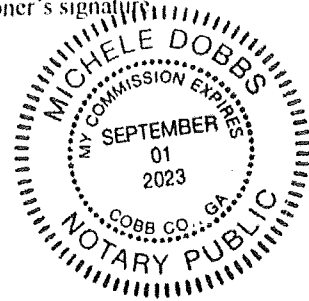
10 Mano Williams
11 Petitioner's signature

12 Subscribed and sworn to before me this

13 6th day of November, 2019.

14 Michele Dobbs

15 Notary Public or Clerk of Court



16 **DESIGNATION OF RESIDENT ATTORNEY ADMITTED TO**
17 **THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND CONSENT THERETO.**

18 Pursuant to the requirements of the Local Rules of Practice for this Court, the Petitioner
19 believes it to be in the best interests of the client(s) to designate Therese M. Shanks,
20 (name of local counsel)
21 Attorney at Law, member of the State of Nevada and previously admitted to practice before the
22 above-entitled Court as associate resident counsel in this action. The address and email address of
23 said designated Nevada counsel is:

24 71 Washington Street
(street address)

25 Reno
(city)

Nevada
(state)

89503
(zip code)

26 775-329-3151
(area code + telephone number)

tshanks@rssblaw.com
(Email address)

1 By this designation the petitioner and undersigned party(ies) agree that this designation constitutes
2 agreement and authorization for the designated resident admitted counsel to sign stipulations
3 binding on all of us.
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5 **APPOINTMENT OF DESIGNATED RESIDENT NEVADA COUNSEL**
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7 The undersigned party(ies) appoint(s) Therese M. Shanks as
8 his/her/their Designated Resident Nevada Counsel in this case.
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10 (party's signature)

11 FREDERICK HEES Chief Executive Officer
12 (type or print party name, title)
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14 (party's signature)
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16 (type or print party name, title)
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18 **CONSENT OF DESIGNEE**

19 The undersigned hereby consents to serve as associate resident Nevada counsel in this case.
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21 Therese Shanks
22 Designated Resident Nevada Counsel's signature

23 12890
24 Bar number

25 tshanks@rssblaw.com
26 Email address

27 APPROVED:

28 Dated: this 12th day of November, 2019.

[Signature]
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

EXHIBIT 1



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THÉRÈSE S. BARNES, CLERK/COURT EXECUTIVE
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October 23, 2019

I hereby certify that Mario Bernard Williams, Esq., was admitted on the 5th day of March, 2012, as a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of Georgia, the highest court of the State; and, since that date he has been and is now a member of this bar in good standing, as appears from the records and files in this office.

Witness my signature and the seal of this Court,
hereto affixed the day and year first above written.



Therese S Barnes, Clerk

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

Pursuant to FRCP 5(b), I certify that I am an employee of ROBISON, SHARP, SULLIVAN & BRUST, and that on this date I caused a true copy of **VERIFIED PETITION FOR PERMISSION TO PRACTICE IN THIS CASE ONLY BY ATTORNEY NOT ADMITTED TO THE BAR OF THIS COURT AND DESIGNATION OF LOCAL COUNSEL (Mario B. Williams)** to be served on all parties to this action by:

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6 Dated this 7th day of November, 2019.

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